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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s) : Martin Sansing
Appl. No. : 10/607,940
Filed : June 27, 2003
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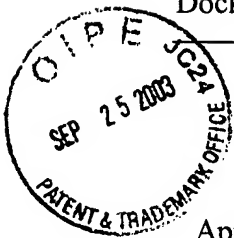
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Dear Sir:

Enclosed for filing in the above-identified application are:

- (X) An Information Disclosure Statement.
- (X) A PTO Form 1449 with three (3) references.
- (X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Account No. 11-1410.
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Enclosed is form PTO-1449 listing 3 references that are also enclosed.

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Respectfully submitted,

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EXAMINER INITIAL	OTHER DOCUMENTS (INCLUDING AUTHOR, TITLE, DATE, PERTINENT PAGES, ETC.)
	ETA Cuisenaire Math Catalog, Grades K-12 (2003), pages 32, 59, 82-93
	Summit Learning Math Catalog, Grades K-9 (Spring 2003), Pages 8, 16-19
	Nasco Math Catalog (2003), pages 3-9, 34

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